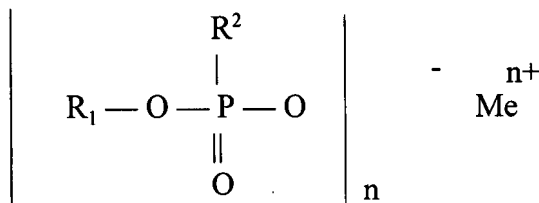


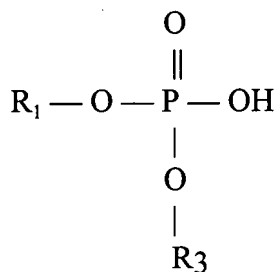
Please amend claims 7, 9, and 14 as follows:

(Twice Amended) A composition for fertilizing comprising:

enhanced [a] growth stimulating effective amounts of at least a first salt having the following formula:



and a second salt having the following formula:



where R_1 is selected from the group consisting of H, K, an alkyl radical containing from 1 to 4 carbon atoms, halogen-substituted alkyl or nitro-substituted alkyl radical, an alkenyl, halogen-substituted alkenyl, [alkynyl] ~~alkyl~~, halogen-substituted [alkynyl] ~~alkyl~~, alkoxy-substituted alkyl radical, and ammonium substituted by alkyl or hydroxy alkyl radicals;

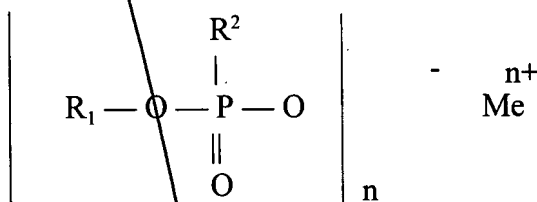
R_2 and R_3 are selected from the group consisting of H and K;

Me is selected from the group consisting of K, alkaline earth metal cations, aluminum atom, and ammonium cation; and

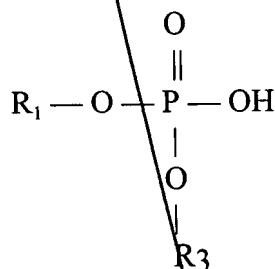
n is a whole number from 1 to 3, equal to the valence of Me,

wherein said composition comprises an aqueous solution, each said first and second salt being present in solution from about .25% vol./vol. to about 5% vol./vol.

9. (Amended) [The composition according to claim 7] A composition for fertilizing comprising:
enhanced growth stimulating effective amounts of at least a first salt having the following formula:



and a second salt having the following formula:



where R_1 is selected from the group consisting of H, K, an alkyl radical containing from 1 to 4 carbon atoms, halogen-substituted alkyl or nitro-substituted alkyl radical, an alkenyl, halogen-substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, halogen-substituted alkynyl, alkoxy-substituted alkyl radical, and ammonium substituted by alkyl or hydroxy alkyl radicals;

R_2 and R_3 are selected from the group consisting of H and K;

Me is selected from the group consisting of K, alkaline earth metal cations, aluminum atom, and ammonium cation; and